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VIA ONLINE FOIL REQUEST SYSTEM

Regional Freedom of Information Officer
U.S. EPA, Region 2
290 Broadway, 26th Floor
New York, NY 10007-1866

Re: FOIL Request: Documents Relating to Hicksville Water
District Plant Nos. 4 and 5 / Well Nos. 4-2, 5-2, and 5-3

Dear Regional Freedom of Information Officer,

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA"), 5 U.S.C. § 552, as amended by Public Law No. 104-231, 110 Stat. 3048, I hereby request:

- (1) All records and correspondence between the Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") and the Hicksville Water District ("HWD") relating to the detection, identification, sampling, testing, analysis, and/or remediation of per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (collectively, "PFAS"), including but not limited to perfluorooctanoic acid ("PFOA") and perfluorooctanoic sulfonate ("PFOS"), in the HWD public drinking water wells ("HWD Wells") Nos. 4-2, 5-2, and 5-3, or in the groundwater within the vicinity of said HWD Wells, from the period of 2012 to present;
- (2) All records, including, but not limited to, data, reports, sampling plans and results, work plans, studies, field inspection notes, correspondence, agency comments or approvals, and analyses, relating to PFAS, including but not limited to PFOA and PFOS, in HWD Wells Nos. 4-2, 5-2, and 5-3, or in the groundwater within the vicinity of said HWD Wells, from the period of 2012 to present;
- (3) All notices of violations and/or violations issued to HWD and all consent orders or consent decrees to which HWD is or was a party, relating to PFAS contamination, including but not limited to PFOA and PFOS, detected at HWD water plant facilities ("HWD Plants") Nos. 4 and 5, from the period of 2012 to present; and
- (4) All records concerning the proposed applicability, pilot studies, design, cost, contracting, and/or implementation of treatment technology to remediate PFAS, including but not limited to PFOA and PFOS, at HWD Plants 4 and 5, from the period of 2012 to present.

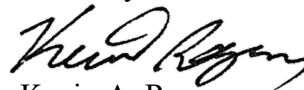
To the extent that responsive documents can be provided electronically, please send them to Kevin Rogers at kr Rogers@sprlaw.com. If documents cannot be provided electronically, I authorize the provision of documents up to \$500. If the cost would be above that, I may want to inspect the documents before deciding if I want paper copies. I understand that there is a fee of \$0.15 per page for duplication of the records requested.

I understand that this request may produce a significant quantity of responsive records and would request that, to the extent possible, production occur on a rolling basis.

Please respond within the time required by law. If any documents are withheld or redacted in response to this request, please identify those documents and indicate the specific reason for which they are being withheld or redacted and provide the name and address of the person to whom an appeal should be directed.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,



Kevin A. Rogers